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HEW FOR USOE:RLEESTMA

E.O. 11652: N/A
TAGS: AORG, APER, UNESCO
SUBJECT: CANDIDACY OF JAMES CHANDLER FOR DIRECTOR, IBE

1. ON MARCH 2, 1977, PERMREP MET WITH UNESCO DG M'BOW CONCERNING PERSONNEL MATTERS, ONE OF WHICH WAS CHANDLER'S CANDIDACY FOR SUBJECT POST. DG WAS NONCOMMITTAL AND UNRECEPTIVE. HE INDICATED HE WOULD CONSULT EXBD IN WRITING AND MAKE A DECISION BY APRIL 15. DG TOLD PERMREP LETTER TO EXBD MEMBERS WOULD LEAVE SECRETARIAT MARCH 4. PERMREP FEELS THAT WITHOUT STRONG EXBD SUPPORT, CHANDLER WILL NOT BE SELECTED.

2. PERMDEL STRONGLY RECOMMENDS THAT DEPT (IO/UNESCO) CONTACT US EXBD MEMBER ROBERT KAMM SOONEST AND REQUEST HIS PERMISSION FOR DEPT TO SEND LETTER OVER HIS NAME TO HIS EXBD COLLEAGUES (SELECTED AS LISTED IN FOLLOWING PARA) REQUESTING THAT THEY EXPRESS TO THE DG IN WRITING THEIR SUPPORT FOR CHANDLER BASED ON HIS EXCEPTIONAL QUALIFICATIONS FOR SUBJECT POST.

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3. PERMDEL RECOMMENDS THAT KAMM LETTER BE SENT SOONEST TO FOLLOWING EXBD MEMBERS:

DR. GONZALO ABAD GRIJALVA (ECUADOR) MARIANO ANDRADE 120
QUITO, ECUADOR

MR. REGINALD S.G. AGIOBU-KEMMER FEDERAL MINISTRY OF
(NIGERIA) EDUCATION,
LAGOS, NIGERIA

MRS. ESTEFANIA ALDABA-LIM 28, NARRA AVE.
(PHILIPPINES) FORBES PARK
MAKATI, PHILIPPINES

MR. VICTOR BRAVO AHUJA FUEGO 930
(MEXICO) JARDINES DEL
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MEXICO 20, D.F.

MR. WALTER A. BURKE C/O MINISTRY OF EDUCATION
(BARBADOS) AND COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT
BRIDGETOWN, BARBADOS

H.E. MR. HORACIO BUSTAMANTE PERMANENT DELEGATION OF
(PANAMA) PANAMA TO UNESCO
UNESCO HOUSE
75700 PARIS, FRANCE

MR. PAULO E. DE BERREDO CARNEIRO AVENIDA ATLANTICA 3892
(BRAZIL) 2000 RIO DE JANEIRO
R.J., BRAZIL

H.E. DR. CHAMS EL DINE EL WAKIL PERMANENT DELEGATION OF
(EGYPT) ARAB REPUBLIC OF EGYPT
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MR. GUNNAR GARBO ROYAL MINISTRY OF
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OSLO-DEP., NORWAY

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(LIBERIA) MONROVIA, LIBERIA

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UNESCO HOUSE

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H.E. MR. MAHMOUD MESSADI 13, RUE SLAHEDDINE LAYOUBI

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(TUNISIA) LE BARDO, TUNIS, TUNISIA

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THE FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF

GERMANY

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TEHERAN, IRAN

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H.E. MR. MICHEL VAN USSEL
(BELGIUM) PERMANENT DELEGATION OF
BELGIUM TO UNESCO
4, AVENUE DE SAXE
75007, PARIS, FRANCE

H.E. MR. ALBERTO WAGNER DE REYNA PERMANENT DELEGATION
(PERU) OF PERU TO UNESCO
UNESCO HOUSE
75700 PARIS, FRANCE

4. SUGGESTED TEXT OF LETTER FOLLOWS: BEGIN QUOTE:

I AM TAKING THIS OPPORTUNITY TO WRITE TO YOU TO SOLICIT
YOUR SUPPORT ON A VERY IMPORTANT AND URGENT MATTER
CONCERNING UNESCO.

AS YOU KNOW, MR. LEO FERNIG, THE DIRECTOR OF THE

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INTERNATIONAL BUREAU OF EDUCATION (IBE) HAS ANNOUNCED HIS
INTENTION TO RETIRE LATE THIS SPRING. YOU MOST LIKELY
HAVE RECEIVED BY NOW THE DIRECTOR GENERAL'S LETTER
REQUESTING YOUR RECOMMENDATION CONCERNING THE SHORT-LIST
OF CANDIDATES FOR THE IBE DIRECTOR POST.

IF, AFTER REVIEWING THE CURRICULUM VITAE OF CANDIDATES
FOR THIS POST YOU FEEL AS I DO, THAT MR. JAMES CHANDLER
HAS OUTSTANDING QUALIFICATIONS FOR THE POST, I WOULD
GREATLY APPRECIATE YOUR INDICATING YOUR SUPPORT FOR HIM
BY LETTER TO THE DIRECTOR GENERAL.

MR. CHANDLER'S EXPERIENCE, KNOWLEDGE AND PERSONALITY
MAKE HIM EXCEPTIONALLY WELL QUALIFIED TO ASSUME THE
LEADERSHIP OF THIS VERY IMPORTANT ORGAN OF UNESCO. HE IS
A HIGHLY PROFESSIONAL EDUCATOR AND COMPETENT
ADMINISTRATOR WITH EXTENSIVE INTERNATIONAL EXPERIENCE.
MR. CHANDLER IS VERY FAMILIAR WITH IBE AND THE IERS IN
PARTICULAR. HE HAS HAD MANY YEARS OF SUCCESSFUL
EXPERIENCE WORKING WITH DEVELOPING NATIONS IN ASIA,
AFRICA AND THE ARAB WORLD. HE IS COMPLETELY BILINGUAL IN
ENGLISH AND FRENCH. PERHAPS, MOST IMPORTANTLY, MR.
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CHANDLER'S PAST PERFORMANCE INDICATES THAT HE IS A
DYNAMIC LEADER WHO WORKS COOPERATIVELY WITH OTHERS, TO
ATTAIN COMMON OBJECTIVES.

I HOPE THAT YOU WILL AGREE THAT MR. CHANDLER IS THE BEST
CANDIDATE FOR THE POST OF DIRECTOR OF THE IBE AND I WILL
GREATLY APPRECIATE YOU SUPPORTING HIM FOR THIS IMPORTANT
POST.

I AM LOOKING FORWARD TO BEING WITH YOU AGAIN AT THE
SPRING SESSION OF THE EXECUTIVE BOARD. PLEASE ACCEPT,
SIR (MADAM), THE ASSURANCES OF MY HIGHEST CONSIDERATION
AND ESTEEM. END QUOTE.
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